



THE GETTYSBURG TIMES.

FIFTEENTH YEAR

GETTYSBURG, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 24th, 1917.

PRICE TWO CENTS

CAR BARN FOR CAMP SUPPLIES

Trolley Storage Building on North Washington Street for Depot Commissary.

APPROVES TROSTLE FARM

Will not Likely Put Coming Encampment in Any Field in which there are Growing Crops.

The greater part of the first floor of the large brownstone building occupied by the local electric power plant has been leased by representatives of the Regular Army as a commissary depot for the coming camp.

The large car barn, the offices, and all other rooms on the first floor except the engine and boiler room actually used in the manufacture of current have been taken over by the men from the Quartermaster's Department here during the past few days. In this building will be stored all the food and supplies shipped in from the outside, as well as those purchased locally that are not of a highly perishable nature.

The amount of space available, the convenient location with regard to the railroad, and many other considerations made the securing of this building highly desirable and there was no difficulty coming to terms on the question. The portions of the building not leased are now controlled by the Gettysburg Electric Company while the ones leased are still in the hands of the Gettysburg Railway Company.

The Army officers who closed the deal for the building could not state the probable length of time for which the building would be needed but they leased it for the duration of the camp, short or long as that may be.

Major Stanton, who arrived here Tuesday night, and established the Quartermaster's Department headquarters in the Stallsmith Building, received notice Wednesday afternoon to report at once to Washington. Before leaving he stated that he believed the call meant that he would be sent to France with one of the detachments soon to be sent abroad. He was highly delighted. Another officer will come in a day or two to take his place.

Major Stanton, before leaving Gettysburg, said that ground on which there were no growing crops would in all probability be used for the camp site. He inspected the ground between the High Water Mark and the Emmitsburg Road but said that he scarcely thought that would be taken as it is all in crops. "Just now, when producing food supplies is uppermost in our minds," he declared, "it would scarcely be consistent to turn such land into an encampment site when other tracts not so planted are just as available and just as good."

There is a large section of the Trostle farm along the Emmitsburg Road which is in grass and Major Stanton seemed to regard this as a highly favorable location for the camp. His successor will likely make the final decision. As the first troops are due to arrive here on the night of June first or the morning of June second, there still remains more than a week in which to complete preliminary details.

Sergeant Moore, who is now on the ground, states that, while as many of the supplies as possible will be purchased here, it is altogether probable that the most of the food will be shipped in by special express trains, bringing enough to last for days at a time. These would then be unloaded at the power house and then conveyed by motor trucks to the camp.

There will be thirty six or more trucks with the first two regiments to be brought here.

FOR SALE: 1913 Overland touring car in good condition, \$285.00. Reichle's Meat Store.—advertisement 1

BOY WANTED: to learn trade or for summer employment in Gettysburg. Congenial surroundings. Pay while learning. Address letter to 29 Care Times Office.—advertisement 1

FOR SALE: two Waterbury heaters in good condition; also school bell suitable for dinner bell. Apply Willis H. Lady, secretary, Biglerville School Board.—advertisement 1

WILL pay 12 cents for good calves delivered to my place of business Friday and next Monday. G. W. Reichle.—advertisement 1

LARGE TILLAGE

Reports Show Increase in Wheat, Rye and Potatoes.

The Department of Agriculture, through its farm reporters, is collecting figures on the number of acres of farm land under cultivation this year. This will not be finished for a month or more. Reports now on file show the acreage planted in wheat, rye and potatoes, but the oats acreage will not be reported before June 1, and the report on corn July 1.

The reports now totaled show that this year there are 1,373,118 acres in wheat, as compared with 1,333,260 last year; rye, 262,000 acres in 1917 and 255,000 in 1916; potatoes, 291,700 acres in 1917 and 265,000 in 1916.

It is estimated that about 25,000 acres of backyards and lots not usually cultivated are planted this spring with vegetable seeds.

FOUR MORE YEARS

Dr. Schaeffer is Reappointed Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer was on Wednesday re-appointed by Governor Brumbaugh as Superintendent of Public Instruction for a four-year term from April 1. Dr. Schaeffer, who is one of the best-known educators in the country, has held the office of superintendent since 1893. He was sworn in to-day.

THREE CASES OF LOCAL INTEREST

Echo of Bank Trouble. Two Deer Cases Dropped in Franklin County Court.

Several matters of local interest were up in court at Chambersburg on Tuesday.

Mrs. Nannie Alexander presented a petition in reference to a note for \$4907 given to the Lemasters national bank. She had arranged with Cashier Enos D. Myers to borrow money to pay for a house she was building. The bank failed and closed and by persuasion of directors of the bank she signed the note. She alleges now that she had deposited \$534.10 of her own money in the bank and all she ever checked out was \$3357.05. She prayed to have the judgment opened that she may make defense in the matter.

Herman McFerren, convicted of firing mountains, was not in court when called for sentence, but came in later. Judge Gillan has information showing that the youth is weak-minded, and may not be permitted to run the mountains. He was sentenced to 60 days in jail but will likely be committed to the Polk home for feeble minded. The lad is deaf and dumb.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs Carbaugh and Commonwealth vs Spoonhour, two deer cases, it was agreed that conviction could not be had and a reversal of the magistrates was taken in both cases.

COMING EVENTS

Happenings Scheduled for Gettysburg during Next Few Weeks.

- May 25—House to House Canvass for Red Cross.
- May 25th—Mission Play, "Two Masters". Presbyterian Church.
- May 27—Memorial Sunday Services in Post Room.
- June 3—High School Baccalaureate. Reformed Church.
- June 7—Gettysburg Grammar School Commencement Exercises.
- June 8—Dedication of New Virginia Memorial.
- June 10—College Baccalaureate Sunday. College Church.
- June 13—Commencement Exercises at Gettysburg College.

CHANCE TO SAVE

Agriculture Department Warns Against Butter Waste.

(By United Press)
Washington, May 24—If every one of the 20,000,000 American households should waste 1-4 ounce of butter daily, the loss would be 114,062,500 pounds a year, the product of over half a million cows, according to department of agriculture figures to-day. If only one in every 100 homes wasted that 1-4 pound, the loss would total over 1,000,000 pounds annually. The department issued these statistics to show why no butter whatever should be wasted.

WANTED: grocery salesman. Experienced man preferred. Address K, Care Times.—advertisement 1

INJURED MAN IS STRUCK BY CAR

Big Automobile Crashes into Machine Conveying Warren Wattles to Hospital.

HAS MANY FRIENDS HERE

Ankle Broken in First Crash, and Hip Fractured in Second. Policeman also Injured.

Run down by one automobile and struck by another as he was being rushed to a hospital, Warren Wattles, of Pittsburgh, a nephew of Mrs. D. M. Moser, of Carlisle street, sustained injuries of a serious nature and is now confined to the Roosevelt Hospital, New York City.

The first accident occurred as Mr. Wattles, his wife and two friends were going along a crowded street in New York. He was struck by the automobile of William Hastings at the corner of Broadway and Sixth street and his ankle broken. Mr. Hastings at once stopped his car and offered to take the injured man to a hospital.

A policeman who was stationed at the corner mounted the running board of the machine and Hastings then started for the hospital. They had scarcely left the scene of the accident when a large machine, driven by John A. Bird crashed into the Hastings car. Mr. Wattles was thrown out and sustained a fracture of the hip. The officer was knocked off the running board and he too had a leg broken.

Both men were then taken to the hospital and given attention. No one else in either car was hurt.

The Wattles family is well known in Gettysburg. Mr. Wattles is a son of Warren Wattles, one of three brothers all of whom bore the name of W. W. Wattles. The injured man is about 35 years of age and is engaged in banking.

WOMEN TO PICK PEACHES

South Mountain Fruit Growers up Against Labor Problem.

With the prediction that the peach crop in the South Mountain fruit belt this year will be the largest ever produced comes a disquieting note that is distributing the harmony of the song of the growers: How are they going to get their crops gathered and marketed?

The labor problem is the key which has put the whole situation out of tune. Not only fruit growers, but farmers are in fear of a lack of labor when the harvest and fruit gathering time comes. It is now giving both considerable worry.

Unless the required labor can be secured when it is needed, the fruit men realize that they will be seriously handicapped and they are looking forward to this period with some apprehension of possible results. Many growers are now arranging to secure laborers in advance. The peach crop will be of such bulk that a large number of men will be needed. If men cannot be found it is possible that women will be used.

TO SOLVE DIFFICULTY

Ask State to Take Road at Mt. Holly Springs.

Following the closing of the bridge in Mount Holly on the principal route between Harrisburg, Carlisle and Gettysburg because the town lacks funds for proper repair, a movement has been begun to have the State Highway Department take charge. The stream at the point has now to be forded by all those using the road.

AIRSHIP RAID

One Killed when Flying Machines Soar over Rural England.

(By Cable)
London, May 24—Four or five German airships raided the eastern counties of England last night and dropped many bombs. One man was killed in the village of Norfolk. All the work was done in country districts and little damage was accomplished.

KODAKS and all supplies for them at the exclusive agency. People's Drug Store.—advertisement 1

NEEDLE and Thimble Society, of Bendersville, will serve supper in Odd Fellows Hall, May 26th, from 4:00 to 10:00 o'clock. Everybody invited.—advertisement 1

ADMIT GREAT DAMAGE

Big Boat Sunk by Submarine with Loss of Many Lives.

(By Cable)

London, May 24—It was stated on official authority here to-day that 413 were lost when the transport ship, "Transylvania", was sunk by a German submarine on May 4th. These included 29 officers, 373 men, the captain and ten of the crew.

The "Transylvania" was a twin screw steel steamship, of 14,315 tons, built in 1914. It was owned by the Anchor line and made several trips between New York and Glasgow during the year it was put into service. It was one of the newest and largest boats engaged in trans-Atlantic service.

NO CLASS DAY

One Feature of College Commencement Week is Abandoned.

At a meeting of the senior class of college, it was decided that the regular Class Day exercises at commencement time be omitted. This was due mostly to respect for those who had left school for service in the Army or Navy, or for the shop and farm. Other than this commencement plans remain the same as announced recently in The Times.

NEW HONOR FOR LOCAL COLLEGE

Get Chapter of Fraternity which Enters only First Class Schools.

Gettysburg College now has a chapter of the honorary intercollegiate debate and oratory fraternity, Tau Kappa Alpha. The local chapter was installed by the chapter at Dickinson College.

Tau Kappa Alpha was founded May 13, 1908 in the office of the Lieutenant-General of Indiana, Hon. Hugh Miller, who became the first president. Its founders were debaters and orators of the Indiana colleges, who realized the need of some recognition for the student who strives to win honors for his college in the forensic field.

The purpose of the fraternity, as given in the constitution is, "To recognize excellence in public speaking and to develop and promote interest in oratory and debate among the undergraduates of American colleges and universities." Charters are granted only to those institutions whose record in debate has been the best and whose academic standing is high.

AGAINST BOND ISSUE

Farmers' Organization Outlines its Reasons for Opposition.

The Pennsylvania State Grange, through the action of its Legislative Committee, has openly declared war on the proposed fifty million dollar bond issue for highway improvement.

In a memorial addressed to both branches of the legislature, the grange declares that a bond issue is not necessary; that, in view of our national situation, it would be particularly objectionable at this time, and that there is plenty of revenue in sight to build highways and pay for them as we go if the legislature will do its duty, enacting laws that will equitably distribute the burdens of taxation.

The Sproul resolution, proposing an amendment to the constitution authorizing the loan has passed the senate and is now before the house. Should the resolution pass and receive the signature of the governor, this measure, which was overwhelmingly defeated at the polls in all the country districts four years ago, would again come before the people in the fall of next year.

NEW TEACHER

Prof. Leininger's Successor Chosen by School Board.

Guy Lefevre, who will be graduated from the normal school at Shippensburg this year, was on Wednesday evening elected professor of manual training and science in the Gettysburg High School. He is 23 years of age. The school board took no further action on the plan to close June 8th.

FOR SALE CHEAP: Studebaker touring car. W. H. Tipton.—advertisement 1

ROAD MEETING FRIDAY EVENING

Gettysburg Committee will Meet Chambersburgers at Caledonia.

FIFTEEN FROM EACH TOWN

Burgess Eicholtz to Head our Delegation while William Alexander will Leads Others.

Gettysburg's committee of fifteen, recently appointed by Burgess Eicholtz, will motor to Caledonia on Friday evening to confer with a similar committee from Chambersburg relative to the proposed plan to have the Lincoln Highway between the two towns made a model road.

Mr. Eicholtz will head the local delegation, and William Alexander Esq. will head the committee from the Franklin County town. It is planned to meet at half past seven o'clock in the evening when reports will be made on the status of the situation and the means suggested to further the project.

It is probable that at this joint meeting it will be determined to arrange for an interview with State Highway Department officials at Harrisburg and that either the entire membership of the joint committee, or a delegation representing it will go there within a week or two.

It is understood that this summer a five mile stretch between Chambersburg and Fayetteville is to be made a model road, but the promoters of the new idea will not be satisfied until it is built the whole way across the mountain.

In addition to Burgess Eicholtz, who is chairman, the following compose the Gettysburg committee: W. S. Schroeder, Roy P. Funkhouser, Hoh. C. Wm. Beales, J. Edward McCammon, J. L. Williams, Esq., Dr. C. H. Huber, J. L. Butt, Esq., Rev. W. F. Boyle, Rev. J. B. Baker, C. S. Reaser, Dr. H. M. Hartman, Dr. J. McCrea Dickson, John W. Brehm, H. T. Weaver, and J. Donald Swope, Esq.

The Chambersburg committee is composed of the following: William Alexander, Charles Walter, C. O. Wood, A. M. Stager, J. G. Schaff, A. N. Pomeroy, D. Ed. Long, J. H. Karns, George E. Gilbert, H. B. Ganoe, Thomas J. Brereton, William H. Fisher, John B. Baumgardner, I. D. Iverson, J. W. Sharpe.

WAR BASE BALL

Sunday Games to Give their Receipts for Public Work.

(By Telegraph)

Chicago, May 24—Sunday base ball to aid war work is provided for New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington, and Pittsburgh in an agreement drafted by the National Base Ball Commission and signed to-day by John K. Tener, president of the National League; Ban Johnson, president of the American League; and Garry Herman, chairman of the commission.

SUSPICIOUS NOTES

German Taken in Los Angeles and Held for Federal Examination.

(By Telegraph)

Los Angeles, May 24—Armed with a note book in which were references to various American ports, Bruno Weanard, a German who speaks but little English, was taken to-day and is being held pending examination by the federal authorities. He refuses to explain his having the notations on the ports.

OUR BOATS IN ACTION

Cutting Down Depredations of U-Boats, it is Stated.

(By Telegraph)

Washington, May 24—Official advice received by the State Department to-day confirmed published reports of material inroads on the activities of German submarines, and stated that this was due largely to the improved anti-submarine methods brought to the Allied fleet by American destroyers.

TENNIS, baseball and all sporting goods, bathing caps, shoes, etc., at People's Drug Store.—advertisement 1

SPECIALLY new, Red, White and Blue chocolates, 29 cents the pound. People's Drug Store.—advertisement 1

PRISONERS TAKEN

Germany Has Lost Many Men in Recent Actions, Reports Declare.

(By Cable)

London, May 24—In the battle of the Arras the Germans lost 21,000 prisoners out of 40 divisions, according to a statement made by General Maura to-day. General Maura is in charge of operations on a large front. He said that in the same period only 3000 British were captured.

Paris, May 24—The French have captured 8600 German prisoners on the Soissons—Auberive section since May first, it was officially stated here to-day.

WESLEY MEETING

Conversion of John Wesley Subject for this Service.

The anniversary of the conversion of John Wesley was observed Wednesday evening in the Methodist church, during the regular prayer meeting hour, with appropriate exercises. A brief sketch of the life of John Wesley was given by the pastor, in which the incidents in connection with his conversion were emphasized. Many familiar hymns written by John and Charles Wesley were heartily sung by the congregation. Brief addresses were made by a number of members of the church.

YORKER ON BOAT SUNK BY TORPEDO

Lawrence M. Long on Missouriian which was Victim of Submarine.

Lawrence M. Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Long, of York, who was a member of the crew of the American-Hawaiian freighter Missouriian, which was sunk by a torpedo fired by a German U-boat in the Mediterranean sea on the afternoon of April 4, last, has arrived home. He will spend some time there before boarding another vessel.

In an interview, the Yorker gave a graphic account of his experience. After having been rescued, following the torpedoing of the Missouriian, Long was landed at an Italian port. He made his way to the United States on board the French liner Chicago, which landed in New York harbor last week, after a successful run of the German blockade.

The first warning the American-Hawaiian ship had of the presence of U-boats in the Mediterranean was when one of the crew detected the wake of a torpedo coming toward the ship. A sudden turn off the regular course caused the first torpedo to miss the fore part of the ship by several feet. No U-boat was seen at that time. The Missouriian was going at the rate of 13½ knots per hour.

When the commander of the U-boat was aware of his miss, he brought his vessel to the surface. This was the first intimation given the American crew that the German craft was so close. In rapid succession, shells were fired at the Missouriian, the U-boat speeding at the rate of about 18 knots per hour at the time of firing. The crew of the endangered American vessel then left for their life boats, and a few moments later a torpedo directed near the center of the vessel caused an internal explosion. The Missouriian sank in about 15 minutes.

Long had an accurate view of the German undersea craft. He says it was apparently one of the latest type, measuring approximately 280 feet in length. It was mounted with two guns of exceptionally heavy calibre, and six of the crew were seen on deck.

It is the Yorker's belief that considerable more tonnage is destroyed than is officially made public, and at the same time he says there are more captures made of U-boats than the people realize. Long spent some time in Italy and France, and says that Germany war prisoners are given good treatment. He declares that there is no indication of any suffering among them, and that they apparently have sufficient food and plenty of tobacco. The French soldiers, he says, do not exhibit as much activity. The food situation with the French, while serious, he asserted, is not critical. He is not acquainted with food conditions in England.

The Yorker seaman has already been assigned to service on the American liner Kansan, which is undergoing repairs in an American port. She struck a German mine planted in a French harbor recently, he says. Just how soon Long will get a call to return to active duty he is not certain.

TOWN DIVIDED FOR RED CROSS

Campaign will be Directed by Eleven Women with about Fifty Assistants.

ASK MEMBERSHIP OF 500

Later Special Day will be Observed through County to Get Total Enrollment of 1800.

Gettysburg has been divided into eleven districts for the Red Cross house-to-house canvass which is to be conducted to-morrow, between the hours of nine o'clock in the morning and five o'clock in the evening.

The following ladies have been appointed to direct the canvass in the districts: Mrs. L. M. Creager, Miss Mary Horner, Mrs. P. W. Stevenson, Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, Miss Alice Pickering, Mrs. Milton R. Remmel, Miss Harriet Krauth, Mrs. J. I. Mumper, Mrs. W. A. Martin, Miss Martha Dickson, and Miss Anna Reck. Each of them will have from three to six solicitors to help with the work.

Headquarters will be established at Huber's Drug Store where the progress of the campaign will be made known at regular intervals. There will also be a window display showing samples of the work done by the sewing classes up to this time and other things of Red Cross interest.

It is hoped to increase the membership of Gettysburg Chapter by this canvass to 500. In other towns where the Red Cross has been working the average membership is one to every five of population. The last census gave Gettysburg 4030 which would make our quota slightly over 800. The directors here are not striving for that goal, however, and will be most gratified if they reach the lower figure.

The Gettysburg campaign will precede a more extended one which will be held in a few weeks and which will cover the greater part of Adams County. It is the idea to get a total membership of not less than 1800 in the county.

STOP DANCING

No More Twinkle Toes in England is the Order.

(By United Press)

London, May 10—(By Mail)—Banished from the British Isles by the frown of popular disapproval, the Goddess Terpsichore was observed sadly wailing her way westward, early to-day.

The British Lion has put his paw down on dancing and the light fantastic will be tripped no more in these parts until the last Hun hesitation has turned into a head-long flight.

Ciro's is out of bounds. The Savoy ball-room chandeliers are gathering cobwebs. The Waldorf tea-rooms are now sometimes used for tea. Private dances are, if possible, more taboo than public affairs.

The recent wrath aroused by Lord and Lady Curzon, who entertained a dozen guests at an informal dance in their home, has put the fear of the malcontents who write letters to the editors in the hearts of any who would dance in the future. London was alive with posters the day after Lord Curzon's affair, screaming to the public in foot-high letters that "Curzon Dances While England Burns", "Twentieth Century Nero", etc.

There is just one institution in London that dares to brave the storm of wrath which those who aren't able to dance shower on those who can and do. The American Women's Club held a series of three tea dances for the American girls and young men in London, in April.

CHILDREN SAFE

New York Doesn't Fear Plague this Year.

(By United Press)

New York, May 24—Infantile paralysis may break out this summer in cities where it was quiescent last year, according to a bulletin issued by the board of health to-day.

The department does not expect another epidemic here for some time. In the past they have come four or five years apart. Health Commissioner Emerson is experimenting to see whether the infection may originate in decayed teeth, as has been suggested by Dr. Louis Fischer, a specialist in children's diseases.

June 8—High School Commencement.

GOVERNOR'S CALL

Brumbaugh Urges All Liable to Draft to Register.

REGISTRARS ARE SUMMONED

Complete and Accurate Conscription Count is the Aim of the State, He Says in Proclamation.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 24.—Governor Brumbaugh's proclamation calls on all male citizens of the state liable under the conscription regulations to enroll on June 5.

It follows: "To all Members of the State and Local Committees of Public Safety in Pennsylvania.

"In complying with the direction of the president of the United States, I beg to advise you that on June 5, 1917, all male residents of this commonwealth between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, both inclusive, must present themselves at their several registration places for enrollment under the act of congress approved May 18, 1917, and in conformity with the proclamation of the president under same date.

"June 5, 1917, will thus become a day of transcendent importance. The registration then to be taken must be complete and accurate. Pennsylvania, because of her commanding place in the roster of states, must perform this service in the most patriotic manner. Full explanations will issue from the governor, who is charged with this duty by the national authorities. It will be his purpose to plan with precision and speed for this great service.

"The machinery created by law will promptly be set in action. But the executive is most anxious to have in this great task the co-operation and assistance of all and of each member of the state and local committees of public safety.

"To that end, I, Martin G. Brumbaugh, governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do now call upon and direct each of you to study with care the law and the president's proclamation, together with all proclamations from the executive of the commonwealth, governing in this case, and in every way consistent with good citizenship and in harmony with law exercise your best endeavors to secure a complete and accurate registration of the defined group resident in your respective counties or districts. I ask this as a patriotic duty. I call upon you, without hesitation, to do this service freely and heartily as it is fitting and worthy of Pennsylvania and of our great nation."

A later proclamation issued by the governor says:

"I have been asked by many people what exemptions are to be made by the national government in the matter of the act of congress of May 18, 1917. Registration has been confused with conscription, and that the minds of all may be informed, I hereby state:

"1. All male citizens between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, both years inclusive, must register on June fifth next. There are no exceptions to this whatever. All races, all creeds and conditions must alike conform to this act of congress and present themselves for registration at their several voting precincts on the day named above.

"2. Following this registration, the president will take such steps as he may deem wise to enroll in the army and navy, such registered persons as he may deem necessary.

"The act of congress, however, exempts from military service under this law such registered persons as are:

"1. Officials of the legislative, executive and judicial departments of the United States government, the state government, the territorial government and the District of Columbia.

"2. Regularly or duly ordained ministers of religion, students who are at this time preparing for the ministry in recognized theological or divinity schools.

"3. All persons now in the military and naval service of the United States.

"4. Members of any well-recognized religious sect or organization at present organized and existing and whose existing creed or principles forbids its members to participate in war in any form and whose religious convictions are against war or participation therein in accordance with the creed or principles of said religious organizations; but no person so exempted shall be exempted from service in any capacity that the president shall declare to be non-combatant."

Will Try Guard for Murder.

Scranton, Pa., May 24.—Private Joseph Murphy, of the Thirteenth regiment, will be court-martialed on the charge of murder Friday for the death of Stanley Soyetski, who was killed at Shamokin several weeks ago, after, it is claimed, he disregarded the soldier's order to halt while approaching a bridge. The hearing will be conducted in the Thirteenth Regiment armory.

U. S. Army Engineers Reach London. London, May 24.—The first detachment of United States army engineers under command of Major Parsons, arrived in London. The second unit of the American hospital corps has reached Great Britain.

And Some Wall Street Goats.

Over 3,000,000 animals were slaughtered in New York last year, but at that a lot of asses managed to make their getaway.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

HOWARD E. COFFIN.

He Heads the United States Aircraft Production Board.



Photo by American Press Association

The United States needs thousands of aircraft for the war, and Mr. Coffin's work will be to stimulate their production. He has the counsel of national defense back of him in the work.

ROYALTY GREETES AMERICANS

English Rulers Express Best Wishes for U. S. Medical Unit.

London, May 24.—King George and Queen Mary, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary, received and extended a welcome to the surgeons and nurses of America's initial detachment from the army, which shortly will take its place beside the British allies at the fighting front in France.

It was a simple but impressive ceremony, one which will stand as a landmark in American history as the first of its kind to occur within the walls of Buckingham palace.

Formality there was—such as is demanded by royalty—but the presentation was shorn of much of its rigidity by the attitude of the royal family. There existed no doubt in the minds of the spectators that the hearts of the king and queen were in their greetings and that they took keen pleasure in extending the hand of friendship to the members of the English-speaking family across the sea.

Especially was this felt as the king stood before the medical corps, and in a voice ringing with sincerity, expressed the pleasure which it afforded him and the queen to welcome the Americans. He voiced his deep appreciation of America's prompt response to the needs of the allies. His message was brief, but it was one of the utmost good will.

In the detachment whose members were presented to the king, are twenty-five surgeons, under command of Major Harry L. Gilchrist, and sixty-five nurses, in charge of Miss Ellison. All belong to the Fourth Base hospital of the United States army. Most of them are from Cleveland and vicinity.

CAN'T GO TO STOCKHOLM

State Department Will Refuse Passports to American Socialists.

Washington, May 24.—The state department announced that no passports would be issued to any one desiring to leave the United States to attend the conference of Socialists at Stockholm to discuss peace.

In making this announcement, Secretary of State Lansing pointed out that any American now in Stockholm or who might go there without a passport and participate in the proposed convention, would be subject to the penal provisions of the Logan act of 1795.

This law penalizes by a fine not exceeding \$5000 or imprisonment from six months to three years, or both, any citizen of the United States who participates directly or indirectly in any verbal or written correspondence with a foreign government or its representative in relation to disputes or controversies of the United States.

WU PREMIER OF CHINA

Will Make Possible Declaration of War Against Germany.

Peking, May 24.—President Li Yung Hung has issued a mandate dismissing Premier Tuan Chi Jiu from office and naming Dr. Wu Ting-fang former ambassador to the United States, as acting premier, and empowering him to form a new cabinet.

This action probably will end the deadlock in parliament and make possible a declaration of war by China against Germany.

Holland Wants 100,000 Tons of Grain. The Hague, May 24.—The minister of Agriculture has requisitioned twenty-two Dutch vessels. They will proceed to the United States by way of Halifax, in ballast, to bring back 100,000 tons of grain.

Predict Big Fruit Crop.

Woodbury, N. J., May 24.—According to fruit growers in all parts of the county, nothing short of a cyclone or fierce hailstorm can prevent a great yield of all kinds of fruit.

Whatever They Say.

and music, whatever people say, is not a universal language; the bow of words is necessary to send the arrow of sound into the hearts of men.—Roman Rolland.

PASS WAR TAX

House Adopts Bill by Vote of 309 to 76.

DEMOCRATS SOLID FOR IT

When Final Ballot is Taken Four Members Answer "Present."

The Republican Leader Votes "Nay."

Washington, May 24.—The war revenue bill, providing for the raising of approximately \$1,800,000,000, less than the estimated cost of the first six months of war expenses, was passed by the house by a vote of 309 to 76, four members answering "present."

Democrats, headed by Speaker Clark and Floor Leader Kitchin, voted solidly for the bill. Republican Leader Mann was among those voting nay. Prior to the final vote on the bill, the committee second-class mail rate increase proposal was adopted by a vote of 256 to 130.

The Lenroot income tax amendment, retained by the house by a vote of 345 to 40, makes an increase of twenty-five per cent in all surtaxes on incomes over \$40,000 originally written into the bill by the ways and means committee.

The Doremus amendment, exempting from the five per cent automobile tax the companies making less than eight per cent of their capital actually invested, was eliminated from the bill by a vote of 173 to 233.

The section of the bill proposing a tax on advertising matter other than that contained in newspapers and periodicals was stricken out on motion of Democratic Leader Kitchin.

When the committee of the whole reported the bill, Republican Leader Mann demanded a separate vote on the second-class mail and on the Lenroot income tax amendments adopted in committee, while Representative Oldfield, of Arkansas, Democrat, demanded a separate vote on the automobile tax.

Too great an amount of money, Mr. Mann said, would be raised by immediate taxation under the bill. Bond issues or supplementary taxes, he declared, should raise the greater part of the required war revenue.

Representative Cannon, Republican, of Illinois, declared that he would vote for the bill because the country needed the money right away. Declaring that the measure was full of "injustices and inequities," Representative Gillett, Republican, of Massachusetts, said he would vote present.

Closing debate for the bill, Mr. Kitchin denied statements that the president regarded sections of the bill as "vicious" and wished the senate to rewrite it.

"I called the attention of the president to this report," he said, "and he authorized me to say there is not a shadow of truth in the report."

In a final plea for support of the measure, Mr. Kitchin said he would be ashamed to look anyone in the face if he voted against the bill as money must be had by other means than bonds in order to carry on the war.

The senate finance committee met immediately after the passage of the bill by the house. Sentiment in the committee was said to be extensive for considerable reduction of the house bill's aggregate revenue levy, some senators favoring reducing the bill from \$1,800,000,000 to around \$1,250,000,000.

Increase of second-class postage rates on advertising portions of publications is proposed in an amendment to the bill introduced in the senate by Senator Hardwick, of Georgia. It would leave the present cent a pound rate on news sections of publications but increase that of advertising sections to three cents a pound, until July 1, 1918; six cents a pound until July 1, 1919, and eight cents a pound thereafter.

WIFE KILLS TWO

Slays Her Husband and Mother-in-Law in Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., May 24.—After shooting to death her husband and his mother at his home, Mrs. Anna M. Smith, fifty years old, sat on the front steps and kept a throng at bay.

She was finally overpowered by police and locked up.

Mrs. Smith had been separated from her husband. She had been living at Perry Hall, Md. She came here Monday, and asked the police to compel her husband to let her see their son.

She said he had spirited the son away. Later she went to his home. After a short argument, she shot him twice with a pistol. He fell dead. His mother, Mrs. Lena Smith, seventy-two years old, ran to his side. She then was shot.

Again Deporting Belgians.

Havre, May 24.—The Germans have resumed the deportations of Belgians, according to information received by the Belgian government. Three thousand persons are reported to have been deported from the suburbs of Brussels since the beginning of May.

U. S. Ship, Food Laden, Sunk.

Paris, May 24.—A submarine has torpedoed and sunk a large American steamship in the Mediterranean, it was announced. The vessel was carrying a food cargo consigned to Switzerland. Its name was not announced.

Two Killed When Lumber Slides.

Wilmington, Del., May 24.—Frank Chambers and George E. Leonard, a negro, were killed at the works of the American Car and Foundry company when a load of lumber from a portion of the timber slipped. They were caught under it.

The Weather.

Forecast for this section: Fair and cool today and tomorrow; westerly winds.

Tyranny Over the Mind.

I have sworn upon the altar of God eternal hostility against every form of tyranny over the mind of man.—Jefferson.

ROBERT S. LOVETT.

Railroad Head Who Will Aid the Red Cross Relief Work.



Photo by American Press Association.

Judge Lovett's work will be to prevent unless duplication of effort in the work of war relief. He will coordinate the work of all organizations formed for that purpose and have them directed through the central Red Cross organization. His official title will be "relief waste saver."

JOFFRE BACK IN FRANCE

French Envoy Arrive Safely at Brest After Voyage Kept From Public.

Paris, May 24.—Marshal Joffre and former Premier Viviani arrived at Brest on their return from the United States.

Sailed May 15.

Washington, May 24.—M. Viviani, Marshal Joffre and the French mission sailed from New York, Tuesday, May 15.

Their departure was unknown except to a few officials and to the newspapers, which kept the secret.

The party slipped away on the same ship which brought them over. They were conveyed by a French warship. So well was the secret kept by the volunteer censorship under which the American newspapers are co-operating with the government that the French envoys generally were supposed to be still in Washington. Up to Tuesday many invitations to them to visit various sections of the country were received.

The departure of the visitors was attended by as much secrecy as the government could throw around it. Arrangements were such as to make it difficult for German spies to use any information, had they gained possession of it.

VIENNA'S BAIT FOR RUSSIA

Intend to Offer to Re-established Poland and Grant Dardanelles Passage.

Amsterdam, May 24.—It is the Austrian emperor's idea to offer very generous peace conditions to Russia, according to a German correspondent of the Tipt.

These will include the integral re-establishment of Poland, free passage through the Dardanelles and even a loan to Russia.

These proposals were discussed at the recent meeting between Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, and Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial German chancellor, at headquarters.

Count Hertling, Bavarian premier, is quoted as expressing the conviction that the war would end by fall. He said the results of the submarine warfare were satisfactory.

Cabinet Resigns.

London, May 24.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says that the Hungarian cabinet, of which Count Tisza was premier, has resigned.

Arrest Spies in Geneva.

Geneva, May 24.—The police have discovered in one of the principal hotels of Geneva a nest of German and Austrian spies. Eight arrests have been made thus far, including the correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung. A number of compromising documents have been seized.

German Losses 4,245,800.

The Hague, May 24.—The total German losses up to the end of April is estimated at 4,245,800. These figures were compiled from the various lists issued in Berlin. Nearly 1,000,000 Germans have been killed in battle. The balance represents prisoners and wounded.

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PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Short Paragraphs of Interest. Guests in Many Gettysburg Homes.

MANY VISIT ELSEWHERE

Mention of People on Short Journeys to Nearby Towns and those Spending the Day with Friends here.

Harry Hart, of Hanover, was a Gettysburg visitor to-day.

Mrs. William Hersh and Miss Henrietta Hersh, of Baltimore street, are spending the day in Harrisburg.

Mrs. C. H. Smith, of Broadway, is spending the day with friends in Biglerville.

William Major, who has been spending several days in Gettysburg, has returned to Harrisburg.

George Diller, of Hanover street, is spending several days in Dillsburg.

Herman Homan has returned to Eddystone after a visit of several days in Gettysburg.

Miss Mayburt Musselman, of Fairfield, spent Wednesday afternoon with friends in town.

Miss Gladys Dick, of New Oxford, was a recent visitor with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huber and son have returned to Idaville after visiting at the home of Mr. Huber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huber, on Springs avenue.

Mrs. George Stock has returned to her home on Baltimore street after spending several weeks at the home of her son, Leo F. Stock, and family, of Washington, D. C. Mr. Stock and son, John Henry, accompanied her home to spend several days.

Mrs. William Jones, of Harrisburg, and Miss Mollie Deardorff, of Philadelphia, are spending some time at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Deardorff, Cashtown.

Miss Louise Haller, who has been spending several days in town, has returned to her home in Frederick.

PTOMAIN KILLED SENTRY

Blamed for Poisoning Casts at Port Perry, Pa.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 24.—The authorities who have been investigating the cause of the death of Lieutenant Corcoran and the illness of more than a dozen men of the Third Pennsylvania infantry last week, after they had been served with a meal from the restaurant of Carl Miller, at Port Perry, expressed the belief that the men had suffered from ptomaine poisoning.

F. T. Ashman, state chemist, who examined the rice pudding, milk and peas in the restaurant, said the meal was bad and that the rice pudding had been contaminated by the milk.

Coroner S. C. Jamison is waiting the result of the toxicological examination of the contents of the officer's stomach before rendering a verdict.

SPORTS TO HARDEN MEN FOR WARFARE IN TRENCHES

Baseball Leagues, With "World's Series" Will Be a Feature of Camp Diversions.

A practical method of national service whereby famous football and baseball players, physical instructors and athletes generally can aid the government with their special skill and knowledge has been provided through the committee on training camp activities, recently appointed by Secretary Baker, with Raymond B. Fosdick as chairman.

After study of Canadian and British army training systems Mr. Fosdick has found that all athletic sports and even children's games have a distinct place in military work and give the soldier the iron muscles he needs in the hand to hand fighting of trench warfare.

Baseball will be the feature of the efforts of the committee. Extensive organization of divisional leagues and championship competitions that probably will include a world's series will be encouraged by the committee and supported by officers in command of the camps. Similar organization for other sports will be perfected, but American national armies are expected to give their greatest allegiance to the American national pastime.

Men of national reputation as ball players or athletic trainers will be assigned to each camp to instruct and aid the soldier players.

Another feature of the recreational programs will be bayonet competitions. There is a grim purpose back of this. The fields in France have seen the greatest use ever made of cold steel, and it is vital that the American soldiers be at least the equals in skill and strength of their German opponents when they meet. The committee hopes to develop personal interest among the men in proficiency in bayonet exercises through employing it as a sport befitting soldiers.

Singing also will be encouraged among the troops. Already theatrical concerns are volunteering their aid in providing amusement for the men. Motion picture films also will be employed. The troops will be kept in touch in this way with the work of other camps and with conditions among American or other forces at the front.

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"CHILDREN OF THE FEUD"

WITH DOROTHY GISH

"THE HUNT"

TRIANGLE KEYSTONE COMEDY WITH FORD STERLING.

Make the Children Happy

See the new toy displayed in the windows of our hardware department. Sizes for all children, little and big. Just the thing they want at this time of the year when most of their playing is done out of doors. Perfectly safe, and just the thing to keep the little tots busy and contented. Prices graded according to the size desired, and all reasonable.

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BALTIMORE STREET, GETTYSBURG

Straw Hats and Panamas

Any up to the minute man in town can select from our assortment a nifty topper that will exactly suit him, as to smart style and excellent quality, and at the same time prove much better value than he can procure elsewhere for the same money.

ROGERS, MARTIN CO.

Agent Footers-Dye Works. McKnight Bldg., Baltimore Street.

Spraying Time Is Almost Here

We are prepared for it with a large supply of

Corona Dry Arsenate of Lead

Only one pound required for every barrel of water. Prices on application.

Bigham's Hardware Store, BIGLERVILLE.

Both phones.

CABINETMAKER—MACHINIST

WANTED

OAK and POPLAR LUMBER and RED CEDAR.

W. M. CONOVER,

United phone. Cor. Middle and Stratton Streets.

Light on the Spot.

An attachment has been made to the revolver by a French inventor by which the weapon in the hands of a greenhorn is as deadly as in those of a dead-sure shot. A small and powerful electric lamp is mounted on the weapon in such a manner that a circle of light is projected upon the target and the bullet will strike the center of the ring. This particular location of the light is marked by a dark spot, and this spot being placed over the heart of an adversary and the trigger pulled the bullet cannot fail in its deadly work.

Few See Things as They Are.

The mass of mankind will never have any ardent zeal for seeing things as they are; very inadequate ideas will always satisfy them. On these inadequate ideas will always repose, and must repose, the general practice of the world. That is as much as saying that whoever sets himself to see things as they are will find himself one of a very small circle; but it is only by this small circle resolutely doing its own work that adequate ideas will ever get current at all.—Matthew Arnold.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTIES NEARBY

Franklin, Cumberland, and York Contribute Share of Happenings.

OF MUCH INTEREST HERE

Paragraphs of News Items from the Sections Immediately Adjoining Adams County.

FRANKLIN COUNTY

TO BE BUILT FOR \$1500

The directors of the poor met with the Franklin county commissioners, Tuesday afternoon, and went over the plans for the pest house to be built at the county home. These plans were secured from the State health department and provide for a building to cost about \$1500. The directors of the poor will meet at the almshouse, Friday, to select the site for the pest house.

CORPS TO GO TO FRANCE

Cumberland Valley Railroad employees in Chambersburg will be the first outside of Philadelphia to report at headquarters for duty in France. They enlisted under the recent call for volunteers to go abroad to aid in building up railroads, and for shop and other railroad duty. They will be part of the Pennsylvania Railroad regiment. Those enlisted left to-day for Philadelphia.

NINE GIRLS WORK IN OFFICE

As a war measure, in order that they may do the work and thus release young men for service in the army or elsewhere, the Cumberland Valley Railroad Tuesday for the first time in its history had a group of girls at work in its central offices in Chambersburg. Nine girls began work in the auditor's department. They are being trained by Harry Brown and after they get on to the work they will be under the supervision of Miss Nell Scheible.

CUMBERLAND CO.

IN DRUNKEN RAGE

William Fahnestock, a resident of Carlisle, is in jail on two charges, one of assault and battery preferred by his wife and another of surety of the peace preferred by his daughters. Tuesday night Fahnestock was drunk and raised a big rumpus in the house. He broke out the windows, broke up the furniture and destroyed things generally beside fighting with his family. During the melee he received a cut above the eye where he was hit with a chair. The women of the house ran out into the street screaming at the top of their voices and neighbors sent for the police. Fahnestock slipped out of the house before the police came but later came back and then officers Gibb and Johns nabbed him. He was taken to jail on a warrant issued by Justice Martin and served by Constable McCoy charging assault and battery. The charge of surety was brought Wednesday morning.

SAVED BY BREAKING MIRROR

Breaking of a mirror saved the home of Hays Miller, baggage agent for the Cumberland Valley Railroad, in Carlisle, Wednesday, from destruction and prevented the death or serious injury to his three children. He was awakened by the breaking glass to find his bedroom filled with smoke and investigating, found the adjoining room, in which his children were asleep, ablaze as the result of an exploding lamp and the trio unconscious from the fumes. He carried the children to safety and with the aid of neighbors succeeded in extinguishing the fire.

YORK COUNTY

TOOK DOSE OF IODINE

A dose of tincture of iodine in mistake for cough syrup Tuesday might have resulted fatally for Mathias Reigart, of Dallastown, but for the prompt medical attention given him by Dr. J. T. Harbold, who was immediately called to the Reigart home. Mr. Reigart had only recently recovered from an attack of pneumonia, and was able to be about again. Several days ago he contracted a cold, and had a syrup he was taking for it. The bottle of iodine was standing close by, and when Mrs. Reigart went to pass the medicine to her husband she got hold of the wrong one. Mr. Reigart took a teaspoonful and only discovered his mistake after it was swallowed. Dr. Harbold was called in and after administering an antidote he soon recovered from the effects. He is all right again.

FOR SALE cheap: good covered wagon. Apply J. N. Weaver's Restaurant—advertisement

BUCHANAN VALLEY

Buchanan Valley—Miss Rosalie Cole, who is attending normal school, at Shippensburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cole.

Mr. Yeager, Commander of the Salvation Army, of Philadelphia, spent several days as the guest of Rev. Fr. Whalen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and children, of McSherrystown, spent last Thursday with friends in this place.

Mrs. Hanson Oyler and two sons, of the "Narrows", spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cole.

Miss Mary Hall returned to the Mount Alto Sanatorium after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hall.

David Sneeringer, of Baltimore, spent several days with his wife and children, recently.

Howard Dicks and several friends, of Hampton, visited Mr. and Mrs. John A. Irvin, Sunday.

Paul Martin, two sons, Roland and William Martin, and Miss Alice Martin, of Gettysburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cole and family, Sunday.

Miss Sarah Stahl is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lentz and little daughter, of Hancock, Va., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lentz.

Mr. and Mrs. David Irvin, William Irvin, and Miss Laura Irvin, of Gettysburg, spent Sunday among relatives in the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kimple and son, Dale, spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kimple, of Ardenstville.

Fire originated on Piney Hill last Thursday which burned over an area of about one thousand acres, four hundred belonging to John A. Irvin, and the rest belonging to the State.

Charles Culp, of Gettysburg, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kimple.

HANOVER WINS

Hanover has Easy Time with those Mountaineers.

The Raiders easily defeated the Mountaineers Wednesday by landing hard on Werner, score 12-3.

HANOVER

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Agnew, 2b	5	1	3	1	0	0
Doherty, ss	4	3	1	2	6	0
Spencer, lf	3	2	2	2	0	0
Martin, cf	5	1	2	4	0	1
Plank, rf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Poiles, lb	5	2	3	13	0	0
Giacomo, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	0
Lamond, c	2	0	1	2	1	0
Mullen, p	5	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	36	12	14	27	12	1

MARTINSBURG

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Bayler, 2b	5	0	0	2	2	0
Blue, lb	4	1	2	13	0	1
Bates, 3b	4	0	2	0	3	0
Rawlings, lf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Morris, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Perry, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Stroh, c	3	0	0	3	1	0
Mortimer, ss	4	0	0	4	2	1
Werner, p	3	0	0	0	6	1
1 Creque	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	8	27	15	6

1 Batted for Werner in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS

Hanover 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 4 5—12
Martinsburg 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—3

Two-base hits—Blue and Perry; home runs—Rawlings, Blue and Perry; first base on balls—off Werner, 5; off Mullen, 2; struck out—by Werner, 1; by Mullen, 2; stolen bases—Giacomo and Rawlings; double plays—Morris to Mortimer; Bates to Mortimer, to Blue. Umpire—Derr.

NORMAL SCHOOL NEWS

Among the Adams County Pupils at Shippensburg Institution.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Knouse and son, Mark, William Bream and Leila Fohl were recent visitors with Paul G. Knouse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and family visited Harry Taylor on May 17.

John Thomas has gone to his home at Hampton on account of being ill.

The Kid Has Gone to the Colors

The kid has gone to the colors, and we don't know what to say. The kid we have loved and cuddled. Slept out for the tag today. We thought him a child, a baby. With never a care at all. But his country called him man size. And the kid has heard the call.

He paused to watch the recruiting. Wore, fired by the flag and drum. He bowed his head to Old Glory. And thought that it whispered "Come!" The kid, not being a sleeper. Stood forth with patriot joy. To add his name to the roster. And, God, we're proud of the boy!

The kid has gone to the colors. It seems out for the tag today. Since he drilled a schoolboy army. In a truly martial style. But now he's a man, a soldier. And we lend him a listening ear. For his heart is a heart all loyal. Unscourged by the curse of fear.

His dad, when he told him, shuddered. His mother—God bless her—cried. Yet, blest with a mother's care, she went with a mother's pride. But he whose old shoulders straightened Was grand old for memory ran. To years when he, too, a youngster, Was changed by the flag to a man. —W. M. Herchell in the Eagle Magazine.

DROP FIRST ONE TO HAGERSTOWN

Three Defeats Mark Beginning of Present Week for Wardites.

HIT EARL HOWARD HARD

But not Hard Enough. Joe Ward Entitled to Fifty Dollars for Hitting Bull Durham Sign.

Tut, tut, Joe. This won't do. Don't you know that in every small town there are some faithful fans, chicken-hearted nevertheless, who can't stand to see their idols lose three games in a row. When this happens some one will peep out, "Oh, it's the same old thing over again," and then the anvil chorus starts to ring.

You notice we say "some" fans of this character may be found. Ninety five per cent of the crowd know what we have and what we can expect from them in the future, but there are some whose pedal extremities assume an icy temperature when misfortunes come more than singly. Of course, we all know that last year the Martinsburg club lost eighteen in a row, turned around and won nineteen within interruption and finished within a few games of first place. And we know the loss of a couple games just now isn't so important, but just to please those timorous ones break the alleged "losing streak".

Now, as to yesterday's game which Hagerstown won 9-6. Gettysburg got fifteen hits, one of which was a two bagger by Ward that struck the Bull Durham sign and entitled him to the \$50 offered by that concern. Johnny Mumford was a bit wild in his pitching and a bit wilder in his protest to Ump McNamara over an alleged balk in the eighth inning with the result that he was fined \$2.50 and chased from the field by said umpire. The Terriers hit hard and the Ponies had no trouble with Earl Howard, but Hagerstown bunched hits and eight of their nine runs were earned.

Gettysburg started out in good shape and were one run ahead as the last half of the seventh came in. Same condition as at Martinsburg the day before. And again the storm broke. Courtney, Caddin, and McCord doubled, and Dysett singled giving three runs. In the eighth a pass, a sacrifice, and two singles netted two more. Gettysburg's final rally in the last was nipped, when Ryan fanned after Sykes had doubled, scoring Dunn who had gotten to first on a pass.

GETTYSBURG

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Yim, cf	4	2	2	0	0	1
Jones, ss	4	1	0	2	1	0
Dunn, lf	3	2	2	0	2	0
Ward, lb	5	0	2	11	0	0
Sykes, rf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Ryan, 2b	5	1	2	1	2	0
Sullivan, 3b	3	0	0	4	3	0
Shollenberger, c	4	0	3	5	4	0
Mumford, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Baker, c	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	6	15	24	16	2

HAGERSTOWN

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Courtney, 3b	4	2	2	2	1	0
Dysett, rf	5	1	4	3	0	0
Hurley, lb	3	1	1	4	1	0
Caddin, 2b	4	1	2	8	3	0
McCord, ss	4	2	2	1	1	1
Whitted, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Harris, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Mace, c	2	0	1	7	1	0
Howard, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	30	9	14	27	11	1

SCORE BY INNINGS

Gettysburg 2 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1—6
Hagerstown 0 1 0 3 0 0 3 2 x—9

SUMMARY

Earned runs, Gettysburg, 5; Hagerstown, 8; two base hits, Dysett, Ward, Courtney, Caddin, McCord, Sykes; base on balls, off Mumford, 5; off Howard, 2; struck out, by Mumford, 1; by Baker, 1; by Howard, 6; left on bases, Hagerstown, 6, Gettysburg, 5; double plays, McCord to Caddin to Hurley; stolen bases, Whitted, (2), Ryan, McCord, Courtney; time, 2:00; umpire, McNamara.

Passes

Catcher Kelly has returned to the ranks after playing in Reading for the past week. He is also a good fielder and is reputed as being a consistent hitter.

Manager Crooke, of Frederick, was fined \$25 and benched for three days for disputing too vigorously a decision of Ump McNamara in a recent Frederick-Hagerstown game.

Koppy Hostetter has given away at third to Shorty Long whose presence makes the Mountaineers seem like the same old crowd more than ever before.

In the last three days Gettysburg has had 35 hits and made 18 runs. Her opponents have had 44 hits and made 27 runs. Get the answer?

When Frederick meets us to-morrow afternoon on Nixon Field the Ponies will have crossed bats with every team on the circuit. We took the lone game from Hanover, split even with Chambersburg, got the small end of the argument with Martinsburg, and to-day we may even things up with Hagerstown. And then again, we may not. Manager Ward has lines out for

several new pitchers. He has no fault to find with the Big Three and neither has any one else. But three men can't handle the burden, particularly when sore arms develop and other things are liable to happen which will mean the breaking up of the schedule of each man pitching every third day.

During the suspension of Manager Crooke, of Frederick, Gussie Boyne is playing first. On Wednesday he had eight put-outs, two of which were tallied in an unassisted double play. He was five times at bat and failed to get a hit. One error was scored against him.

The Hagerstown Mail has little pet names of its own for the teams: Chambersburg, Chumps; Hagerstown, Wombats; Gettysburg, Cemeteries; Martinsburg, Perunas; Hanover, Huns. Steele, our motorcycle first sacker, made a dandy one-hand catch and shortly afterwards broke his wagon tongue bat. There was about a cord of wood in it. Taxicabman Klein took it home for the wood.—Chambersburg Public Opinion.

EXTRA INNING

Maroons Nose out Maryland Raiders in Tenth.

Chambersburg won from Frederick in the tenth after Frederick had tied up in the ninth.

CHAMBERSBURG

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Walter, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Myer, 2b	3	0	1	3	2	0
Hooper, 3b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Steele, lb	4	1	2	15	0	0
Clunk, rf	5	0	0	1	1	0
Heinsius, lf	4	0	2	0	1	0
Fuhrer, ss	4	1	2	2	8	0
Johnson, c	4	0	2	6	0	0
Knauer, p	4	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	38	3	13	30	18	0

FREDERICK

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Baumiller, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Maurer, 2b	5	1	1	4	1	0
Boyer, lb	5	0	0	8	0	1
Barnhart, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Orrison, cf	4	0	3	3	1	0
Zinnell, cf	4	0	3	3	1	0
Mortimer, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Bruff, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Winslow, p	4	0	2	0	2	0
Mess, c	1	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	38	2	11	30	11	1

SCORE BY INNINGS

Chambersburg 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3
Frederick 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—2

Stolen bases—Fuhrer, Heinsius and Zinnell; two-base hits—Johnson, Winslow, Knauer and Barnhart; home run—Steele; double plays—Boyer (unassisted); Clunk to Fuhrer; struck out—by Knauer, 5; by Winslow, 4; first base on balls—off Knauer, 1; off Winslow, 2. Umpire—McGowan.

HOW THEY HIT

Wardmen Continue to Bat from Three to Four Hundred and More.

When a team gets fifteen hits, pretty well distributed among its players, batting averages are sure not to suffer. This was the case with the Ponies yesterday. The figures to date:

	G.	A.	B.	P.C.
Ward	12	52	23	.442
Shollenberger	10	35	14	.490
Dunn	12	41	15	.366
Dykes	4	3	1	.333
Baker	5	10	3	.300
Yim	10	45	13	.289
Sykes	12	49	15	.286
Ryan	12	48	13	.271
Mumford	4	12	2	.167
Sullivan	11	36	6	.167
Jones	12	44	7	.159
Sherman	6	15	1	.067
Cochran	3	8	0	.000

BASE BALL SCORES

Following is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—Phillies, 5; Cincinnati, 1. Batteries—Alexander, At New York—New York, 3; Chicago, 2. Batteries—Schupp, McCarthy; Vaughn, Wilson.

Other games postponed, wet grounds.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Philada.	19	9	.679
N.York	17	9	.654
St.Louis	15	14	.517
Pittsburg	11	21	.344

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—Boston, 8; St. Louis, 2. Batteries—Shore, Agnew; Knob, Savard. At Washington—Chicago, 2; Washington, 1. Batteries—Shaw, Almsmith; Clotte, Schalk. Other games postponed, wet grounds.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
St.Louis	19	9	.679
Chicago	22	13	.629
N.York	17	13	.563
Cleveland	18	17	.514
Athletics	9	20	.310

Hagerstown-3; Gettysburg 6

Chambersburg 3; Frederick 2

Hanover 12; Martinsburg 3

W. L. P.C.

Chambersburg	7	5	.583
Hagerstown	7	5	.583
Frederick	6	6	.500
Gettysburg	5	7	.417
Hanover	4	8	.333

To-Day's Games

Gettysburg at Hagerstown

Hanover at Martinsburg

Chambersburg at Frederick

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Ira P. Taylor, Auctioneer.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission unto The Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a line of railroad within the limits of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by authority of the same:

Section 1. That permission be and is hereby given and granted unto The Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, together with the right to construct, operate and maintain all necessary poles, wires and other fixtures convenient or incidental to the operation and conduct of said railroad, within the limits of the Borough of Gettysburg, upon, over and along the following route, and upon the terms hereinafter mentioned, to-wit:

Route "A". From a point on the South-eastern boundary line of the Borough near Rock Creek; thence in a Northwesterly direction by private right of way to be acquired by said Railroad Company and crossing over the proposed extension of East Middle Street, to a point on private property lying between said proposed East Middle Street extension and Hanover Street.

Adopted by Council the 3d day of April, 1917.

C. B. Dougherty
President.

Attest:
C. B. Kitzmiller
Secretary.

Approved this _____ day of _____ 1917.

Burgess.

(Certificate.)

I, C. B. Kitzmiller, Secretary of the Town Council, of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance "Granting permission to the Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a line of railroad within the limits of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, etc", was presented to Town Council, April 3d, 1917, was passed and adopted by said Council by a vote of 8 ayes, 0 nays and 1 absent, was presented to Burgess J. W. Eicholtz, for approval, was vetoed by said Burgess and returned to Council with his reasons for vetoing same attached thereto. Said ordinance was again presented to Council at their regular May meeting, May 1st, 1917, and on motion regularly made and carried in the affirmative, was passed and adopted over the veto of the Burgess by the vote, on roll call, as follows: Ayes, 8, Nays, None, Absent 1

C. B. Kitzmiller,
Secretary.

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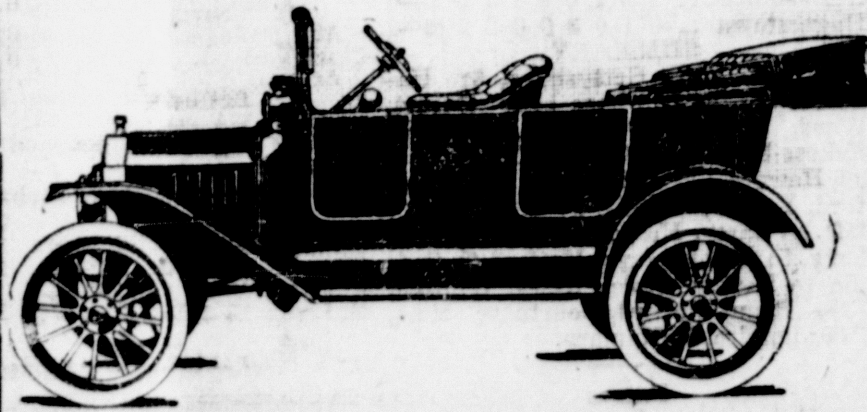
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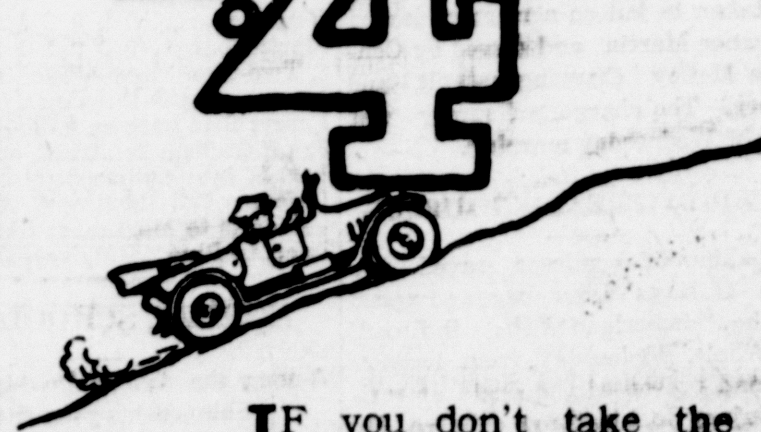
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With the Red, White and Blue in the National Capital.

Washington, May 24.—The red, white and green of Italy was raised everywhere over Washington beside the Stars and Stripes, the Union Jack and the Tricolor of France, in honor of the arrival of the Italian commission to the United States.

Received by high government officials, the visitors were taken to the house of Joseph Leiter, where they will remain while in Washington.

They were escorted by troops of cavalry. Crowds at the railway station and on the streets gave them an enthusiastic reception.

Secretary of State Lansing and other state department officials met the mission at the station.

Prince Udine was in the uniform of captain of the royal navy. The naval and military attaches were received by Lieutenant Colonel John C. Gilmore, for the army, and Lieutenant Commander William N. Jeffers, for the navy.

At the Leiter home, lunch was served for envoys and Italian diplomatic stationed in Washington.

It is probable the mission, at the end of its work in Washington will tour various sections of the east and middle west.

The Prince of Udine issued the following statement:

"The chief object of our mission is to convey the greetings of the king and of the people of Italy to President Wilson and we shall, therefore, make no official declaration before having seen the president.

"Meanwhile, as a Prince of the House of Savoy, as a cousin of the king of Italy, and as the head of the Italian mission, I cannot help saying to you that I am happy and proud to find myself in the United States, in the great American democracy, at the very moment in which it is bringing the invaluable contribution of its will and of its resources to the defense of human rights and of the liberty of nations.

"Italy, which for many centuries has been divided and harassed by the oppression of foreign rulers, and which has furnished a long list of illustrious defenders of human rights and of the laws which should regulate warfare; Italy, which, in the middle of the last century, succeeded at last in freeing herself and becoming a united nation which drew its power from the principle of nationality and independence has acclaimed with great enthusiasm the generous intervention of the American people, who have joined the allies to bring about the triumph of the principles upon which alone can be founded steadfastly peace and human progress.

"Without stopping to talk about our distant past, the independence and unity of Italy were made possible by the magnanimous King Victor Emmanuel II, who, following the advice of the great Cavour, with the cooperation of a thinker and apostle such as Mazzini, who spent all his life in advocating the ideals of liberty and justice, and with the help of a warrior like Garibaldi, who was justly called the 'Knight of Humanity' for having always lent his sword to the holy cause of freedom, staked his own throne to redeem Italy.

"Modern Italy, which was borne out of these ideals, can only be in full agreement with the American democracy which was founded by such pure and exalted personages as Washington and Lincoln, and which is now guided by a far-seeing and most illustrious president, who, supported by the sacrifice of his people, has courageously taken up the defense of humanity and justice."

The First Eraser.

India rubber was used for the first time as an eraser in 1770, when a very small piece was sold for three marks. It was, however, many years later before it was put into general use. Prior to this the crumb of bread was used for erasing purposes.

WILSON INSISTS ON MUZZLER

Says Spy Bill Must Have Provision for Press Censorship.

Washington, May 24.—President Wilson renewed his efforts to put an enforced newspaper censorship section into the espionage bill.

Senators Overman, Democrat, North Carolina; Fletcher, Democrat, Florida, and Nelson, Republican, Minnesota, the senate's conferees on the bill, were called to the White House. They were urged by the president to accept the censorship provision which the senate has rejected.

They were asked to learn whether it is possible to allay the senate's objections and, if possible, bring out a new and so-called modified censorship clause.

The president told the senators that he deems authority to invoke censorship of some sort absolutely essential. He made a similar statement in a letter to Representative Webb, Democrat, North Carolina, chairman of the house judiciary committee.

The president said he did not ask for a drastic provision. He felt he should have some degree of censorship power. He said he had complete reliance in the patriotism of American newspapers as a whole, but felt censorship authority was necessary to deal with isolated cases which might be detrimental to the national interest.

The conferees expressed doubt that the senate would consent to any censorship whatsoever. They agreed, at the president's earnest request, to sound out sentiment and see if it is possible to pass a modified section.

U. S. TO BUY 74,000 MOTORS

Bids to Be Opened for Big Order by Army Quartermasters' Department.

Chicago, May 24.—Bids will be opened, June 8, by the army quartermasters' department for 74,000 motor vehicles as follows:

One-and-a-half-ton trucks, 35,000.
Three-ton trucks, 35,000.
Half-ton trucks, 200.
Three-quarter-ton trucks, 200.
Five-passenger touring cars, 1000.
Runabouts, 2000.

In addition, the bids will cover 5000 motorcycles and 5000 motorcycles equipped with side cars. Bids on twenty repair shop equipment also are asked.

In bidding on the motor trucks, the makers may bid on fully equipped trucks, on bodies alone or on chassis alone. The bids may be for any number, from one to the full number specified in each type. They are to be delivered at the call of the army officials in the fiscal year of 1918.

EMBALMERS TO AID

70,000 to Look After American Dead in Big War.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., May 24.—H. C. Bekels, of Philadelphia, in addressing the convention of the Nine County Undertakers' association, said he has just returned from Washington, where he conferred with Secretary Baker and the United States quartermaster general regarding the number of undertakers and assistants who could be raised to care for Uncle Sam's soldier dead.

He said there were 33,000 licensed embalmers in the country and as many assistants, making 70,000, who are fit for service. Government officials, he said, expressed a desire to have the soldier dead embalmed and brought back to this country.

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Russia Reassures Belgium.

Brussels, May 24.—Baron Beyens, the Belgian foreign minister, received a telegram from Michael Tserchenko, the Russian foreign minister. He declared: "Russia will continue to pursue this war not for the purpose of conquest or envy, but to assure all nations the right to shape their own affairs and to secure a peace guarantee against new attacks."

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RYE FLOUR—Quiet; per barrel \$11@12.50.

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CORN—Firm; No. 2 yellow, \$1.80@1.81.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, \$0.80@81c.

POULTRY—Live, steady; hens, 25¢@24c; old roosters, 15¢@17c. Dressed steady; choice turkeys, 25¢@26c; old roosters, 15¢.

BUTTER—Firm; fancy creamery 42¢ per lb.

EGGS — Firm; selected, 42¢@43c; nearby, 36¢@37c; western, 36¢@37c.

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CATTLE — Steady. Beefsteers, \$9@13.70; cows and heifers, \$6.50@12; stockers and feeders, \$6.10@10.40; Texas, \$9.75@12; calves, \$12.75@14.75.

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Doings of the Van LOONs— Things are not as lovely as Mother thought.

By F. Leipziger.



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ON

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1917.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at his residence in Franklin township, about two miles north west of Cashtown, the following personal property.

Gray mare; three sets buggy harness; three collars; three bridles; pad; set of front gears; saddle; cutting box; good halter; spring wagon; falling top buggy; new grain cradle; two mowing scythes; lot of old iron; manure fork; pitch fork; two dirt shovels; two horse Barshear plow; spring harrow; single shovel plow; corn fork; single trees; mattock; lot of axes; lot of old iron and wire; twelve bushels of ear corn; four hundred feet of poplar boards.

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Safe; two sinks; six foot walnut table; four foot cherry table; large chest; cherry bureau, with four drawers, over one hundred years old; large wood box with lid; twelve good kitchen chairs; six dining room chairs; three rocking chairs; couch; corner cupboard; two kitchen tables; Queen sewing machine, good as new; three bedsteads; new Queen washing machine; bed spring; one half barrel copper kettle; two stands; iron kettle; two doughtrays; pillows and bed clothes; two mirrors; two wash tubs; meat bench; lot of canned fruit and jellies; ten gallon keg of vinegar; wash rubber; buckets; lot of dishes; queensware; glassware; three lamps; knives; forks; spoons; four heavy smoothing irons; eight day clock; ironing board; clothes basket; other baskets; brooms; Public Ledger map; lot of good window shades; large cook stove; small cook stove; new chunk stove; lot of stove pipe; clothes rack with eight rods; seventeen and one half yards of good home made carpet; twenty five yards of good ingrain carpet; twenty yards of good matting; copper preserving kettle; three gallon jug; five gallon jug; lot of stone crocks; lot of good glass fruit jars; half bushel measure; and many articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to begin at 12:30 o'clock sharp. Terms and conditions will be made known on day of sale by

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COFFIN HEADS THE BOARD

Plans to Send a Constant Stream of Trained Aviators to Aid Our Allies. Six Engineering Schools Have Added Aviation to Their Course of Instruction.

The Council of National Defense has announced the creation of an aircraft production board, to be headed by Howard E. Coffin.

This step, according to Mr. Coffin, marks the completion of plans to turn out in American factories about 3,500 air machines this year and double the output next year. They will include both training and battle types. The establishment of schools and training fields is also planned, with sufficient capacity not only to train these machines, but to supply a constant stream of aviators and mechanics to the American forces in Europe. This means the education of 6,000 aviators this year.

Under the auspices of six of the nation's leading engineering schools cadets are already under preliminary training for the American military air service, and negotiations for three of the nine training fields now contemplated have been approved by the war department. Their preparation will begin immediately.

Won't Purchase Abroad.

Negotiations on contracts for aeroplanes are under way, and some necessary orders have already been placed. The United States will not buy aircraft abroad.

The aircraft production board will act in the closest co-operation with the war and navy departments, especially with the recently created joint army and navy board on design and specifications.

To Urge Co-operation.

The general function of the aircraft production board, according to Mr. Coffin, will be to bring manufacturers together and help make their resources available to the government and assist in stimulating the production of better types and greater quantities of air machines.

"We have been in constant touch for weeks with the aircraft manufacturers on the problem of quality production of machines," Mr. Coffin said. "and the government authorities are already signing contracts for as many machines as our present appropriation permits. The United States can depend on a minimum of 3,500 aircraft of all types the first year if congress authorizes us to proceed. The program we now have in mind would provide for both training and combat machines."

Engine Chief Problem.

"Only a few American manufacturers are in a position to handle large contracts, but European orders for training machines within the last two years have helped in some measure to overcome a tremendous disadvantage existing at the beginning of the war. In building battle planes the engine is the chief problem. American manufacturers are now conducting successful experiments with both new and foreign types, and we are confident that we shall be able to develop within the year the manufacture of motors of sufficient power and endurance for use at the front."

"Arrangements have been made with British and Canadian officers to standardize the training machine in use in Great Britain, Canada and the United States, so that machines can be distributed impartially and without difficulty among the three nations."

Observers Visit Canada.

"The country has made progress in developing aviators. Last month a group of army officers visited the training camp of the royal flying corps at Borden, Ont., one of the four camps established in Canada, and the aviation school at Toronto, where cadets are trained under military discipline for the service. In these schools there has been incorporated the latest European experience in the development of this new art of the air."

"Our officers were deeply impressed with their observations, and as a result we called together here the heads of six prominent engineering schools, which also have military training, and made plans to establish a similar system in the United States. The six institutions are the Universities of California, Texas, Illinois and Ohio, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Cornell university. Three technical instructors from each of these places were sent to Toronto. They returned on May 8, after a comprehensive study of the course given there, prepared to teach it themselves. On May 10 these six engineering schools opened similar cadet aviation schools at their respective institutions."

Got a Puncture and Lost.

A Roselle (N. J.) father told two sons the one who got to recruiting station three miles away first could enlist. They raced on bicycles until one got a puncture and lost.

Another Spring Drive.

War on mustaches begun by Hoboken health department, and city employees are asked to set a good example by sacrificing theirs first.

She Has Other Troubles.

The reason why a woman with three or four children seldom gets a divorce is because she hasn't time to waste on thinking about the things she shouldn't think about.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Cement \$2.00

Home Flour \$15.00

Western Flour \$16.00

Cotton Seed Meal \$2.60

Coarse Spring Bran \$2.50

Hand Packed Bran \$2.50

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